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STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
OFFICE OF ADJUTANT GENERAL,
TRENTON, February 24th, 1880.

Hon. William H. Francis, Chairman of Committee on Claims and Pensions, Senate of New Jersey ;

SIR:—By direction of the Senate, Senate Bills Nos. 57 and 59, and Assembly Bills Nos. 71 and 84 have been referred to you for a statement as to the number of men, who were citizens of New Jersey, who performed military service in the regiments of other States during the civil war, 1861–65, were not credited upon the quota of our State, and hence did not become entitled to or receive State pay.

At your request, I reply that the records of this office show that the following organizations of other States were recruited in this State:

Company I, 11th Reg. Penn. Cavalry,
Company H, 2d Reg. Penn. Heavy Artillery,
Company H, 47th Reg. New York Infantry,
Companies D and H, 48th Reg. New York Infantry,
Companies E and H, 1st Reg. New York Engineers,
Bramhall's New York Battery,
Company A, 20th Reg. New York Infantry,
Companies A and B, 2d Reg. New York Cavalry,
Companies A, F, I and K, and one-half each of Companies B, G and D, 70th Reg. New York Infantry—Excelsior Brigade,
Companies D, E and F, 71st Reg. New York Infantry—Excelsior Brigade,
Company I, 72d Reg. New York Infantry—Excelsior Brigade,
Several small detachments for the Veteran Reserve Corps.

The three regiments of the Excelsior Brigade had 1,200 men of this State in their ranks; the Veteran Reserve Corps Detachment about 100 men, and the eleven other companies mentioned, at least 800 men—in all, 2,100 soldiers.

I have the honor to be, yours, very truly,

WILLIAM S. STRYKER,
Adjutant General of New Jersey.

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